

**Docket No. 359999-35**

**Serial No. 10/814,390**

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**Title: ENHANCED BILL ACCEPTOR/DISPENSER  
FOR VENDING MACHINES**

**Applicants: Peter E. Hand et al.**

**Group Art Unit: 3653**

**Examiner: Jeffrey A. Shapiro**

**Confirmation No. 5402**

**RESPONSE UNDER RULE 1.116 -  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Dear Sir:

In response to the FINAL OFFICE ACTION dated March 12, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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